529. James Badcock, of No. 6, Westmoreland-buildings, Aldersgate-street, in the city of London, for an invention of "improvements in crinoline skirts, and fastenings for the steels or hoops of the same."—Dated 24th February, 1865.

531. Edmond Paul Henri Gondouin, of Paris, France, Gentleman, for an invention of "improvements in cotton gins."—Is a communication to him by François Durand, of Rue Claude-Vellefaux, No. 11, of Paris, France, a Mechani-

cian.—Dated 24th February, 1865.

532. Thomas Routledge, of the Ford Works Company (Limited), Sunderland, in the county of Durham, and Thomas Richardson, of the town and county of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Chemist, for an invention of "improvements in the treatment and utilization of certain products obtained in the manufacture of paper or of paper stock."—Dated 25th February, 1865.

533. James Hyndford Rawlins, of Hope Paper Mills, near Wrexham, in the county of Denbigh, North Wales, and Joseph Chappell, of the same place, Manager, for an invention of "improvements in machinery or apparatus used in the manufacture of paper."—1)ated 25th February,

1865.

534. Frederic Claudet, of No. 6, Coleman-street, in the city of London, for an invention of "improvements in the preparation of certain iron ores or residues for use in the blast furnace."—Dated 25th February, 1865.

535. James Starley, of the city of Coventry, Machinist, for an invention of "improvements in sewing machines."—Dated 25th February,

1865.

537. John Askew, of Charles-street, Hampstead-road, in the county of Middlesex, Engineer, for an invention of "improvements in the construction of a portable vehicle for teaching children to walk and giving assistance to invalids."—Dated 25th February, 1865.

538. Peter Armand Le Comte de Fontaine Moreau, of the General Patent Offices. 10, Rue de la Fidélité, Paris, in the Empire of France, and 4, South-street, Finsbury, London, Patent Agent, for an inventiou of "certain improvements in the treatment of madder and the products obtained therefrom."—It is a communication from Monsieur Jules Pernod, a person resident at Avignon, France.—Dated 25th February, 1865.

540. Edward Henry Eldredge, of Boston, in the county of Suffolk, and State of Massachusetts, of the United States of America, for an invention of "a magazine, repeating, and breechloading rifle."—It is a communication from Joshua Gray, a person resident at Medford, in the county of Middlesex, and State aforesaid.—

Dated 25th February, 1865.

541. Ralph Smyth, of Hampton Court, in the county of Middlesex, Retired Lieutenant-Colonel of Her Majesty's Indian Army, for an invention of "improvements in organs and harmoniums." —Dated 25th February, 1865.

547. Comyn Ching, of 23, Little St. Andrewstreet, Upper St. Martin's-lane, London, Gas Engineer, for an invention of "an improved fluid valve."—Dated 27th February, 1865.

549. William Sim, of Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, for an invention of "an impreved method of extracting gases from mineral oils, and in employing the same for illuminating and heat-producing purposes, and in the machinery or apparatus connected therewith."—Dated 27th February, 1865.

551. Robert Barclay, Engineer, of Kilmarnock, in the county of Ayr, North Britain, for an invention of "improvements in sewing machines."—

Dated 27th February, 1865.

553. John Blackie, junior, of North Woolwich, in the county of Essex, Engineer, for an invention of "improvements in signalling apparatus, specially applicable to signalling on board ship." —Communicated to him from abroad by John Blackie, of Washington, United States of America.—Dated 27th February, 1865.

560. Arthur Davy, of Spring Hill, Sheffield, in the county of York, for an invention of "improvements in making solid iron scales with bolsters for all kinds of spring knives."—Dated

28th February, 1865.

561. William Clark, of 53, Chancery-lane, in the county of Middlesex, Engineer and Patent Agent, for an invention of "improvements in the means of decorticating grain and other seeds, and in apparatus for the same."—Communicated to him from abroad by Gustave Lataste, Christophe Ours Bullot, and Clément Montoille, Millers, all of 29, Boulevart St. Martin. Paris.—Dated 28th February, 1865.

562. William Bell Dalston, of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, United States of America, but temporarily residing at Brecon, South Wales, for an invention of "an improved atmospheric pressure lamp for the burning of benzole, paraffin, naphtha, or other volatile oils, which lamp may be used for all the purposes for which lamps are usually required, either for lighting, cooking, heating, or other purposes."—Partly a communication to him from abroad by John Joseph Riddle, of Cincinna'i, Ohio, United States of America, and partly his own invention.—Dated 28th February, 1865.

563. Flora McDougall Chalmers, of No. 128, John-street, Glasgow, in the county of Lanara, North Britain, Widow and administratrix of David Chalmers, of Glasgow, in the county of Lanark, North Britain, deceased, for an invention of "improvements in the manufacture of textile fabrics, and in the machinery or apparatus employed therefor."—Dated 28th Febru-

ary, 1865.

564. John Fordred, of Blackheath, in the county of Kent, Gentleman, for an invention of "improvements in treating certain hydrocarbon oils, and in vessels for containing the same."— Dated 28th February, 1865.

566. James Hartshorn and William Redgate, of Nottingham, for an invention of "improvements in manufacturing lace in twist lace ma-

chines."—Dated 28th February, 1865.

567. Sydney Whiting, of No. 9, Maida Hill West, in the county of Middlesex, for an invention of "improvements in shop and other counters and surfaces on which money is placed in passing it from one person to another."—Dated 28th February, 1865.

568. Thomas Slocombe Hall, of Truro, in the county of Cornwall, Wine Merheant, for an invention of "improvements in gas burners."

-Dated 28th February, 1865.

A LIST of the Letters Patent for Inventions which have become void by reason of the non-payment of the additional Stamp Duty of £100, before the expiration of the seventh year from the date of such Patents, pursuant to the Act of the 16th Vict., c. 5, sec. 2, for the week ending the 29th day of February, 1868.

469. Ludwig Pohl, of the firm of Edward Posen and Company, of Offenbach, in Germany,